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Title:	HUMAN CHONDROITINASE GLYCOPROTEIN (CHASEGP), PROCESS FOR PREPARING THE SAME, AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING THEREOF		

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**REQUEST FOR
CORRECTION OF ERROR IN SMALL ENTITY STATUS
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.28(c)**

Sir:

In the above-identified patent, Applicant established small entity status in good faith, paid filing fees as a small entity in good faith, and later discovered that such status as a small entity was established in error. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests that the error in small entity status be excused pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.28(c).

The deficiency payment is itemized as follows:

- (A) Types of Fees Erroneously Paid as a Small Entity:
 - 1. Issue Fee
- (B) Small Entity Fees Paid:
 - 1. Issue Fee - \$755.00 (Paid May 5, 2009)
- (C) Deficiency Amounts Owed:
 - 1. Issue Fee - \$755.00
- (D) **Total Deficiency Payment Owed: \$755.00**

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The fees for this filing total \$755.00; which consist of \$755.00 for the Issue Fee deficiency. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 07-1896.

Respectfully submitted,



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